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Web Developer | Software Engineer

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SUMMARY

Full Stack Web Developer leveraging a decade of experience in the mental health field to create a more accessible experience on the web. Recently earned a certificate in Full Stack Web Development from University of Minnesota Coding, with newly developed skills in JavaScript, CSS, HTML, Node.js, the MERN stack, and SQL. Known as an eager learner, always looking to pick up new skills to complete or improve a project. Aim for each project is to improve accessibility and intuitive user experience, to allow everyone access to what the web has to offer. Worked on a team of four to develop a MERN app that aims to help people with mental health needs identify and track their mental state on a daily basis and access resources. I'm excited to use these new skills to help build better experiences on the web for everyone.

SKILLS

Node.js, JavaScript, MERN Stack, SQL, CSS, HTML5, GitHub, Git, REST, MVC, Bootstrap, JSON, XML, Responsive Web Design, MySQL, Sequelize, MongoDB, Mongoose, React.js, TDD, API's

PROJECTS

B & E Website | <https://github.com/Harabushi/B-and-E-website> | <https://harabushi.github.io/B-and-E-website/>

- Summary: Website and app for a local production company in St. Paul, MN.
- Role: Sole author
- Tools: HTML, CSS, JavaScript, Font Awesome, React.js, Apollo, GraphQL, MongoDB, Bootstrap

Mental Health Check | <https://github.com/nitrotap/mental-health-check> | <https://fierce-island-24685.herokuapp.com/>

- Summary: A mental health quiz app that helps users track their moods using standardized screening tests.
- Role: Back End
- Tools: React.js, MongoDB, Express.js, JavaScript, GraphQL

Traveler's Hidden Gems | <https://github.com/Harabushi/travelers-hidden-gems> | <https://sleepy-woodland-16634.herokuapp.com/>

- Summary: A travel guide to hidden spots across the United States.
- Role: Back End
- Tools: Leaflet.js, GeoApify API, bcrypt, Express, MySQL, Sequelize, Bootstrap, Handlebars.js

WORK EXPERIENCE

April 2016-November 2019

House Manager

Community Involvement Programs Inc

St Louis Park, Minnesota, United States.

- Supervised team of 30 employees and 5 locations.
- Directed monthly staff meetings per location.
- Coordinate services with multiple different agencies for each person supported.
- Oversaw 20 hours of training per employee per year.
- Mentored three staff who moved on to leadership roles in the company.
- Spearheaded an initiative to create an annual camping trip for the people we supported.
- Recognized by employees and people supported consistently for advocating for the people we supported and remaining calm during chaotic times.

September 2009-April 2016

Direct Support Staff

Public Health Solutions

Fridley, Minnesota, United States

- Assist and advocate for clients in daily life, meeting and maintaining life and career goals.
- Assist in medical care and treatment.
- Maintain household living standards including cooking and cleaning.

EDUCATION

University of Minnesota

Full Stack Web Development Certificate

ADDITIONAL SKILLS

Health Documentation, Budgeting, Time Management, Presentation Skills, Crisis Intervention, Motivational Interviewing

LANGUAGES

English - Advanced

WORK AUTHORIZATION

I am authorized to work in the following countries:

- United States